

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
INDIANAPOLIS DIVISION

In re BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC.,) ATX, ATX II AND WILDERNESS TIRES) PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION))	Master File No. IP 00-9373-C-B/S MDL No. 1373 (centralized before Hon. Sarah Evans Barker, Judge)
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MAUREEN WHITE,) Plaintiff,) v.) BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.) Defendants.)	IP 01-5209-C-B/S
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JUNE BUONGIORNO,) Plaintiff,) v.) BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.,) Defendants.)	IP 01-C-5251-B/S
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ANDREA BARGER,) Plaintiff,) v.) BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.,) Defendants.)	IP 01-C-5153-B/S
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CARRIE LYNN SPENCER, et al.,) Plaintiffs,) v.) BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.,) Defendants.)	IP 00-C-5059-B/S
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CONNIE D. GIBSON, et al.,)	
Plaintiffs,)	
v.)	
BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.,)	IP 00-C-5054-B/S
Defendants.)	

KARLA K. HAUSER,)	
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	
BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.,)	IP 01-C-5211-B/S
Defendants.)	

JAMES CLINTON MORRIS AND)	
RONNIE JAMES MORRIS,)	
Plaintiffs,)	
v.)	IP 00-C-5055-B/S
BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.,)	
Defendants.)	

MARLAND BIBBS AND KAREN BIBBS,)	
individually and as next friend for)	
BRENDAN BIBBS AND BRODERICK)	
BIBBS, Minors,)	IP 01-C-5210-B/S
Plaintiffs,)	
v.)	
BRIDGESTONE/FIRESTONE, INC., et al.,)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER ON MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO AMEND

Before the Court are the motions of defendant Bridgestone/Firestone, Inc. (“Firestone”) for leave to file its first amended answer in each of the above cases. None

of the plaintiffs in these cases has opposed the request. Having considered the motions and the submissions of Firestone in support of its motions for leave to amend, the Court now GRANTS leave to amend and ORDERS that Firestone's Amended Answer submitted in connection with each of its motions for leave to amend (docket numbers 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 639, and 640) be deemed filed and served as of the date of this Order.

It is so ORDERED this _____ day of March, 2001.

SARAH EVANS BARKER, JUDGE
United States District Court
Southern District of Indiana

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